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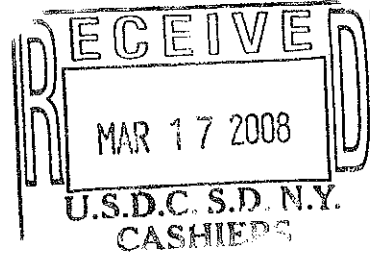
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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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WAKOH MARINE S.A.,

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Plaintiff,

**RULE 7.1 STATEMENT**

-against-

UNITED JAPAN CORPORATION,

Defendant.  
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The Plaintiff, WAKOH MARINE, S.A., by and through its undersigned attorneys Freehill Hogan & Mahar, LLP, and pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure (formerly Local General 1.9) and to enable District Judges and Magistrate Judges of the Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel Peter J. Gutowski (a private non-governmental party) certifies that there are no corporate parents, affiliates and/or subsidiaries of said party which are publicly held.

Dated: New York, New York  
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